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Re: Patent No: 7,141,073  
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Sir:

We have noted in proofreading Patent No. 7,141,073 the following errors:

Title Page, For Assignee, delete "Biomet, Inc." and insert – Biomet Manufacturing Corp.

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Column 5, line 29 (application page 12, line 15), delete " □ " after "90" and insert -- ° --.

Column 5, line 49 (application page 13, line 12), delete " □ " after "90" and insert -- ° --.

Column 5, line 66 (application page 14, line 8), delete " □ " after "90" and insert -- ° --.

Column 6, line 35 (application page 15, line 18), delete "an" and insert – a --.

Column 18, line 27 (application page 47, line 17), delete "an" and insert – a --.

Column 27, line 3 (application page 70, line 9), delete "be" after "will".

Column 33, line 18 (application page 86, line 16), delete " □ " after "90" and insert – ° --.

Column 36, line 38 (application page 95, line 12), put a space between "radius" and "R".

Column 36, line 46 (application page 95, line 19), put a space between "radius" and "R".

Column 38, line 55 (application page 101, line 14), delete " □ " after "90" and insert -- ° --.

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Column 39, line 31 (application page 103, line 7), delete " angle □ " and insert – angle Ø— and delete "5 □" and insert – 5° --.

Column 39, line 33 (application page 103, line 9), delete " □ " after "90" and insert -- ° --.

Column 40, line 28 (application page 105, line 17), delete "," after "specially".

Column 41, line 3 (application page 107, line 10), delete angle □ and insert Ø.

Column 44, line 36 (application page 116, line 15), delete space between "1 and 124".

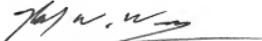
Column 47, line 42 (application page 124, line 19), delete "or" and insert – of --.

Column 47, line 62 (application page 125, line 15), delete "a" and insert – an --.

Column 50, line 25, claim 18 (application page 130, line 6, claim 19), delete "a" and  
insert – an --.

Kindly make these errors of record for your files.

Very truly yours,



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